

IFCA INTERNATIONAL Youth Convention  
**Counselor Application**

(Cost \$100.00)

**DO NOT SEND MONEY WITH THIS FORM!**

Once you have received an e-mail confirmation from Travis Huseby you may then register on-line and send in the 100.00 dollar fee.

(PLEASE PRINT)

Name \_\_\_\_\_  Female Counselor  Male Counselor

Age \_\_\_\_\_ Birth date \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/(\_\_\_\_) E-Mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Regional \_\_\_\_\_ Church \_\_\_\_\_

**On a separate attached sheet, write testimony of your salvation & current walk with Christ.**

» Have you been a Counselor at the IFCA International Youth Convention before? [\_\_\_] Yes [\_\_\_] No If Yes, when and where? \_\_\_\_\_

» Have you ever been a youth counselor/sponsor in any other kind of ministry? [\_\_\_] Yes [\_\_\_] No (such as: schools, local church, para-church ministry, etc...)

If Yes, please comment: \_\_\_\_\_

» Have you ever been convicted of or pleaded guilty to a crime relating to sexual misconduct or child abuse? [\_\_\_] Yes [\_\_\_] No

If Yes, please comment: \_\_\_\_\_

» Why do you desire to be a counselor at the IFCA International Youth Convention? \_\_\_\_\_

To which age group do you feel you are most suited? [\_\_\_] Jr. High [\_\_\_] Sr. High [\_\_\_] Either

**Counselor Covenant**

*One of the most important aspects of the IFCA International Youth Convention is the area of counseling. Counselors are key people who provide a bridge between the "bigness" of a national event and the "smallness" of small groups. The following are basic things that Youth Convention counselors are expected to adhere to. These things are vital in having a convention that will minister to our young people effectively.*

**CONVENTION STANDARDS & GUIDELINES**

We believe that Christian young people who desire to obey the Lord will sincerely seek to obey the standards and regulations of the IFCA International Youth Convention as have been established in order that we may have fellowship together in the unity of the Spirit. Our standards will continue to be maintained at a high level and it must be understood that those whose appearance is not acceptable will be asked to comply. By signing below, the attendee states that he/she has read and understood the standards set in the IFCA International Youth Convention policies, and agrees to abide by those standards. (The standards can be found on the Convention brochure or the Youth Convention website, [www.ifcayouth.org](http://www.ifcayouth.org))

**Covenant continued on next page...**

**With God's help, I will fervently strive to meet the following basic expectations:**

- 1) *I will be sure that all my assigned delegates (students) are up and ready for breakfast.*
- 2) *I will come prepared to lead the provided devotions each morning after breakfast with my delegates (students).*
- 3) *I will see that my delegates and I are at all required sessions and activities.*
- 4) *I will strive to talk with each of my assigned delegates concerning their personal walk with the Lord. I will allow myself to be a spiritual advisor and accountability source.*
- 5) *I will strive to make myself available for my delegates at any and all free times to encourage their fellowship and participation in activities.*
- 6) *I will strive to "keep tabs" on my delegates during the day and support them in their ministry training areas, quizzing and other activities as time allows.*
- 7) *I will see that my delegates are in their respective rooms at the appointed time each night. **I will not** go to bed until this is accomplished!*
- 8) *I will see that the Dean of Men/Women are kept informed of any problems or potential problems regarding the Youth Convention and its participants (particularly my assigned delegates).*
- 9) *I will uphold the standards of the convention and model good behavior when it comes to relationships with the opposite sex and responsible actions during my free time.*

I agree to abide by the Youth Convention Standards and this counselor covenant

**Signature**

**Date**

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Please send completed registration form to:

**Counselor Application  
Rev. Travis Huseby  
8855 Byron Center Ave SW  
Byron Center, MI. 49315**

***If you have any questions, contact the Youth Convention Personnel Director, Rev. Travis Huseby.  
Office Phone: (616) 608-2376 • Fax (616) 878-9651 • E-mail: travisyp@gmail.com***

**WWW.IFCAYOUTH.ORG**

***Please note:***

***You must have your Pastor complete and mail the Pastoral Recommendation form to be considered as a Counselor. It is our request that a counselor be out of high-school for two years or has had one year of Bible School.***

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**PASTORAL REFERENCE FORM » CONFIDENTIAL «**

The following person \_\_\_\_\_ is interested in being a counselor at this year's IFCA International Youth Convention. To aid in the selection process, would you please take a few moments to complete the following reference on this potential counselor and return it?

» Would you recommend this person to a counselor with teenagers?  
 highly recommend  recommend  recommend with reservation  NO

» How long have you known this potential counselor? \_\_\_\_\_

» Briefly describe this person's personal walk with Christ as you have had opportunity to witness him/her.

» To your knowledge, has this person ever been formally accused of or had any problems with sexual misconduct or child abuse?

YES  NO If Yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

» What gifts, talents, training, experiences, etc. would qualify this person to be a counselor with teenagers?

» Please rate this person's involvement and service in your local church:

**LOW ...1...2...3...4...5...6...7...8...9...10...HIGH**

» To which age group would you consider this person to be most suitable for ministry?

Jr. High  Sr. High  Either

Your Name \_\_\_\_\_ Title/Position \_\_\_\_\_ Your  
Church Name \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ Email (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

**To the best of my knowledge, the above information is true.**

Reference Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

***Thank you for taking the time to help us select the very best counselors for our Youth Convention.***

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